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INVENTION: METHOD FOR ALLOCATING AT LEAST ONE VALUE  
OF AT LEAST ONE TRANSMISSION PARAMETER TO  
CELLS IN A COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM HAVING m  
CELLS

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**REMARKS**

In response to the office communication dated May 10, 2001, wherein the  
Examiner requested that a marked-up version of the replacement paragraphs be  
submitted, Applicants herein submit this Supplemental Preliminary Amendment  
which includes such marked-up version. Applicants note that the present  
amendment makes editorial changes and corrects typographical errors in the  
specification in order to confirm the specification to the requirements of the  
United States patent practice. No new matter is added thereby. Attached hereto is  
the marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the present  
amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version With Markings To Show  
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